

Proposed Bill No. 6179

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Referred to Committee on Planning and Development

Introduced by: REP. ROBLES, 6th Dist. SEN. FONFARA, 1st Dist.

AN ACT AUTHORIZING MUNICIPALITIES TO OPERATE INTERSECTION SAFETY CAMERA SYSTEMS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 That the general statutes be amended to allow a municipality to 2 adopt and enforce an ordinance to regulate the placement and use of 3 intersection safety systems within the municipal boundaries; that such 4 ordinance may provide a fine for a violation of its provisions; that a 5 portion of the revenues from fines may be used to defray the cost of 6 the installation, operation, and maintenance of an intersection safety 7 system and the remaining funds shall be distributed as follows: 8 Seventy per cent shall be allocated to the municipality in which the 9 intersection safety system is located, and thirty per cent shall be 10 deposited in the state's General Fund, and that (1) the recording of a 11 violation of any such ordinance on a driving record, (2) the use of a 12 violation of an ordinance to determine rates for motor vehicle 13 insurance, or (3) the assessment of points under the point system by 14 the Department of Motor Vehicles for a violation of an ordinance, shall 15 be prohibited.

Statement of Purpose:

To authorize municipalities to operate intersection safety camera systems.